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The collections in this department are well displayed and carefully looked after by the Curators.

HENRY SKINNER, M. D., Professor in the Department of Insecta, reports having delivered a course of six illustrated lectures on entomology in connection with the Academy's Ludwick Institute Course. He refers to his report as Conservator of the Entomological Section for a statement of other work accomplished during the year.

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